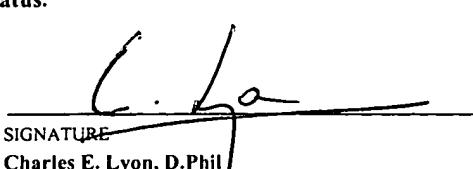


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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/CA03/001893	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE December 3, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED December 3, 2002
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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Denis Gravel, Elaref S. Ratemi, Mostafa Hatam, Guy Boileau, Philippe Crine, and Isabelle Lemire		
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment. (9 pp.)</p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 335 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>20. <input type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written Opinion (PCT Rule 66) (9 pp.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment and Response under Article 34 PCT to the Written Opinion (24 pp.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Express Mailing (1 pg.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Postcard </p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>		

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